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 CHEAP, HIGHLY IMPROVED IN SOUTH AND ADJACENT COUNTIES.
 ALSO THE BEST BARGAINS IN THE GREAT PANHANDLE OF TEXAS. CALL AND SEE US WHEN IN TOWN.
Lakenan & Barnes,
 MEXICO, MO.

Trade with Dearing, Jeweler.
 Frank Cain was down from Higbee Sunday.

W. E. West and wife are visiting in Chicago.
 G. L. Reid, of Fulton was in Mexico Sunday.

Mrs. John Cowan is very sick of typhoid fever.
 Dearing, Dearing, Dearing, Dearing

Chasley McClannahan is here from California on a visit.

Wedding presents in the newest and latest fine art ware, Dearing.

Interest paid on all deposits at North Missouri Trust Co. d&w

M. Richards and wife are home after a weeks visit in the east.

The meeting at Sun Rise church has closed with fifty-two additions.

Miss Beale Smith, of Holden, Mo., is the guest of the Misses Turley.

First fall showing of fine millinery Monday, Sept. 20 at Miss Dinwiddie.

Taylor Berry and J. W. Woodbridge are in St. Louis on the Federal Petit Jury.

C. A. Buckner and wife will return Wednesday from a few weeks outing in Michigan.

Bird Daniel, of Illinois, was in Mexico on a visit with relatives and friends this week.

Remember the largest display of exclusive patterns at Miss Rosamond's. Call and see them. wlt

S. L. Craighead bought from Woolery & Johnson seventy head of cattle at \$90 per head.

We have several second hand farm wagons on hand. wlt

Ferris & Canthorn.

Mrs. W. A. Boggs of St. Louis, and Mrs. Day of Centralia, were in Mexico on a brief visit Sunday.

Small expense, small profit. Dearing.

Federal Judge Landis has dismissed the case against the Chicago & Alton Railroad Company for rebating.

Mrs. N. E. Jones, of McCreedy, is the guest of her nieces, Mesdames Walter Campbell and Ned Turner.

Most interesting vehicle propositions just now. You can't afford to miss them. wlt

Ferris & Canthorn.

J. D. Allen of St. Louis, and Mr. Bryant, of Mexico, have bought Mr. Holmes' interest in the Mexico Collecting Agency.

Libby Out Glass, Rodgers Silverware Dearing. d&w

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Asbury of Centralia, returned to their home to-day after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown.

Her hand this man could not get. His health was not as it should be. He had not used the "Rocky Mountain Tea." C. A. Buckner & Co.

Shelt C. Bybee, mayor of Garnett, Kansas, visited friends and relatives in Mexico and Andrain county this week.

In times of prosperity, prepare for adversity. There is no better way to do this than with a savings account in the North Missouri Trust Co.

Millinery Showing.
 Display of beautiful millinery a Miss Rosamond's place. You are cordially invited. wlt

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Turley, of Wichita, Kansas, after a visit with T. Turley and family left Sunday for a visit in Springfield, Ill. Mr. T. Turley accompanied them to Illinois.

To relieve constipation, clean out the bowels, tone and strengthen the digestive organs, put them in a natural condition with Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, the most reliable tonic for thirty years. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. C. A. Buckner & Co.

The Mercantile Trust Company, of St. Louis, has bought the Missouri Lincoln Trust Company, of which Dr. P. French, formerly of Mexico, was president. Festus Wade will be president of the new company.

Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea tones the stomach, stimulates the liver, strengthens the bowels and makes their action easy and natural. The best tonic for the whole system. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. C. A. Buckner & Co.

Leonard Settle Married.
 Leonard Settle, formerly of Mexico, and Miss A. Sebastian, of St. Louis, were married to Springfield, Mo., Sept. 19. Mr. and Mrs. Settle will reside at Carthage, Mo.

Call at Miss Dinwiddie she will show you the latest styles in Millinery Goods. wlt

We have on sale this week The Franklin Mercantile Co. outfit. Their prices \$30.50. We sell the whole, Over Coats, Suits, dress and Cloak Pattern, for \$19.50 for the original lot. d&w

Mrs. Spalding and family are moving to Columbia to reside. The Ledger regrets very much to have them leave Mexico.

Pocketbook Lost.
 LOST—Large yellow bill book containing about \$500 in checks and paper money, between Santa Fe and Mexico or at Rush Hill. Finder return to O. C. Collette, 313 E. Monroe St. Mexico, Mo., and receive reward. 23-14 20-25

Your children are starting to school now, so why not teach them to save their money by getting one of our HOME SAVING BANKS. They are free for a deposit of one dollar and can be returned at any time and the dollar refunded. Interest is paid on these savings accounts at rate of 3 per cent per annum if left 6 months or longer. d&w

John McIntire, was taken suddenly ill Sunday morning, but his condition is not thought to be at all serious.

HITCHRAKS CAUSE FAYETTE TROUBLE

COUNCIL REMOVES THEM FROM COURTHOUSE SQUARE AND ANOTHER FARMERS

County Court Called in Extra Session, and the End is Not Yet.

Fayette, Mo., Sept. 21.—The City Council of Fayette has around the fire of the farmers of the surrounding country because of the removal of public hitch racks from around the Courthouse Square.

The old hitch racks have long been an eyesore and nuisance, but the town hesitated to break the long established precedent.

The hitch racks were put up years before the war. Opportunity to move them came during the recent street carnival held here. The streets around the square were roped off for the show and when the show disappeared the racks were gone.

In the meantime the City Council had built several hitch racks on side streets for the convenience of farmers who came to town to trade, and also provided public watering troughs.

The farmers have held indignation meetings passing resolutions condemning the actions of the Council, and threatening the merchants with a boycott unless the racks were immediately put back in the old places.

extra court session.

The County Court called in extra session in order to cause the arrest of the Council and to force the Council to action. The County Attorney informed the court that that body had no jurisdiction in the matter whatever. This seems to have settled the question so far as forcing the issue is concerned. The City Council and the Commercial Club have leased two large lots and will build feed sheds to accommodate the visiting farmers.

Within the last year an excellent system of waterworks has been installed, miles of granite walks have been built, new additions opened and many handsome homes built. The population has almost doubled within the last five years and the value of real estate tripled.

The hitch racks, which were unsightly and unsanitary, were not in keeping with the improvements. Out-country-people, Mexico and Fulton, notably, had the same fight, but after a few months when the farmers had become accustomed to the efforts which had been made for their convenience.

We warrant the Favorite Base Burner to heat more space with less coal than any other stove with fire pots the same size at the top.

South Side Hardware Store.

Chronology of Primary Election Law is Given.

Jefferson City, Mo., Sept. 21.—What might be termed the chronology of the primary election law, under the provisions of which the election of 1908 will be conducted in this state, is here given. The compilation was made by Joseph Richman, a clerk in the office of Secretary of State Swanger.

Primary to be held first Tuesday in August—August 4.

At least ninety days before the secretary of state shall transmit to each county clerk the offices for which candidates are to be nominated.—May 6.

County clerks shall publish the same not less than ten days thereafter, once each week, for six consecutive weeks, in not less than two, nor more than four newspapers.—June 5.

At least fifty-five days before any primary the secretary of state shall transmit to each county clerk a certified list containing the name and address of each person for whom nomination papers have been filed in his office.—June 10.

At least twenty days before the primary each county clerk shall prepare sample official ballots and submit the same to each county chairman, and sample in a conspicuous place in his office.—July 15.

On the tenth day before the primary the county clerk shall correct any errors and cause the ballots to be printed and distributed as for a general election.—July 25.

In canvassing returns the canvassers shall meet and canvass such returns at 10 o'clock on Friday following the primary.—August 7.

Not less than fourteen days before any November election the secretary of state shall certify to each county clerk the name and description of each person nominated.—October 20.

At least sixty days before the general election, each person desiring to be a candidate for United States senator shall file with the secretary of state his application stating his full name, residence and post office address.—September 5.

The secretary of state shall, at least thirty days prior to the general election, make out a separate list of the candidates for each ticket and arrange them in alphabetical order and certify a copy of each ticket to each county clerk.—October 3.

Extension of The Burlington.

The Burlington surveyors were here Tuesday making their last survey for the proposed new road from Clark to Mexico. Several of the surveyors were here last Friday and commenced the survey to Macon. It seems like the Burlington means business, and all of this talk about the new road is not but all that Clark will get a terminal if this road is extended, is now assured.

Wheat is advancing and it will always pay you to get our prices before selling. Wm. Pollock Mill & Elev. Co.

Ralph and Mary Oatworth to marry.

Mrs. Wm. Oatworth Johnson has gone to Kansas City to attend the wedding of Ralph and Miss Mary Oatworth, formerly of Mexico.

Ralph Oatworth will be married on the twenty-fifth of September, and his sister, Miss Mary, will wed on October second.

The Ledger joins other friends in extending cordial congratulations.

Roy Mitchell left Tuesday for Liberty where he will attend a William Jewell College.

AUDRAIN COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT DOCKET

The Case of Edna Righter, Maude Dry, and Rosa Allen vs C. & A. R. B.—On Trial.

The cases of Edna Righter, by next friend, C. & A. R. B., Maude Dry, C. & A. R. B., and Rosa Allen against the same road came up in the Audrain Circuit Court Tuesday afternoon and it took most of the day Wednesday. All three of the defendants live in the neighborhood of Rush Hill where the C. & A. has a station.

The incidents in the case are these. The three young ladies went to Louisiana on July 11 and returned on an excursion train the same night.

The night was very dark and it was raining very hard, so hard that the headlights on the engine were said to have been broken out and the light extinguished.

This caused the engineer to lose his bearings and he could not tell where he was. He stopped the train about a mile from Rush Hill to look around and the porter thinking it was Rush Hill, put the three young ladies, it is alleged, off in a ditch by the side of the track in which they claim the water and mud was very deep.

They caught the train before it got away and rode up to where they again thought was the station, but which they discovered was another place about 300 yards from the platform. This time they did not catch the train and so had to walk to the platform. When they arrived they found their relatives who were to meet them were gone, so they had to walk to their home which was about 9 miles from Rush Hill.

They said that the damage done to their clothes, their health and to their pride, by having to get into the crowded coach after having been in the mud and rain at the first stop was very great and they are suing the road for \$5000 apiece. At the time of going to press, the case had not been decided.

TENTH DAY THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1907.

Simon Karp vs Jefferson D. Barton.

K. R. Wilkerson vs Wabash R. R. Co.

Beth Marlowe vs Eugene Marlowe.

Georgia Ann Howard vs Madison Howard.

Chas. W. Botkin vs Western Union Tel. Co.

W. A. Edmondson, Assignee vs Wm Walker.

Myrtle A. McQuinn vs E. A. McQuinn.

The case of the State of Mo. vs Will Harvey (col) was tried Tuesday, and defendant was given seven years in the penitentiary on a charge of assault with intent to kill.

Harvey shot at a train crew at the C. & A. Station last spring.

Farmers Notice.

The annual meeting of the F. & L. Co-operative Insurance Association of Audrain Co. will be held at the office of Morris and Lyman in Mexico, at 10 a. m. Oct. 8th 1907 to elect President, Secretary, and three directors. A vote will also be taken to change the constitution that the company will not be liable for losses occurring by the use of chicken incubators and brooders. We want a large attendance. E. B. Norris, Sec'y.

McGee-Burhop.

The approaching wedding of Miss Nellie Burhop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Burhop, and J. D. McGee has been announced for next Wednesday evening Oct. 2. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. H. E. Trout at the home of the bride's parents in South Mexico.

Miss Burhop is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Burhop. She is one of Mexico's brightest and most accomplished young girls, and a young lady possessing those gifts which make a lovely companion and wife.

Mr. McGee has been with Otis Purdy Drug Store for a number of years, and is a young man of good character, splendid business attainments and is to be congratulated on winning such prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. McGee will at once go to housekeeping on East Monroe St.

The Ledger joins their many friends in extending to them cordial congratulations and best wishes.

White Good and Fall Dress Goods.

We keep the best quality of Table Linens, Napkins and Towels, also new things in dress goods both wool and Cotton fabrics. Examine our line before buying. d&w

Ricketts & Emmons D. G. Co.

Hon. W. H. Kennan's Granddaughter Honored.

Joe B. Stone, Commander of the Missouri Division U. C. V. met at Mexico, on his way to the Fulton Reunion, Mary Cordelia Mason the three-year-old granddaughter of W. H. Kennan. He was so greatly pleased with her that he, on his own motion, appointed her sponsor for the Eastern Division of Missouri. He presented her with a beautiful sponsor badge, with the request that her mother should keep it for her until she is old enough to wear it and appreciate the worth of it.

W. H. Wilson delivered one mile to Emmett Davenport for \$75.00. Shook at the O. J. Berrey said brought extra good prices. Mr. Berrey will move with his family to Texas.

Isaac Wilson purchased a span of mules at \$250.

Thomas Vandlingham shipped to St. Louis a car load of two year old cattle.

John Murphy bought 50 head of ewes of Gant & Conditine for \$5.50 per head.

James Clark sold to Chas. Householder several hundred bushels of oats at 45 per bu.

Charles Bledsoe bought a good three year old horse of Frank Bruton for which he paid \$175.

R. P. Tinsley sold one span of three year mules to Joe Conditine for \$300.

Robert Hampton bought of Jas. Rutledge a pair of work horses for \$150.

T. J. Whitledge delivered to Lige Robinson one cow and two calves at \$47.50.

BOWENA ITEMS.

Miss Mary Moore left last week to attend Baptist College at Liberty.

Miss Mary Howe is attending College at Lexington, Mo.

C. F. Sanberry was in Mexico on the grand jury last week.

Mrs. Jesse Mitchell, of Cecil was here the guest of her parents, Albert Snow and wife.

TAILOR-MADE SKIRTS.

We carry 200 to 250 Skirts on our racks at all times and are prepared to fit any figure or please any taste. Experienced dress makers to fit all garments. Try us.

Fairbank & Watkins

County News.

LONG BRANCH ITEMS.

Mr. Will Goodnight and wife, of Washington, are visiting in this vicinity.

Mrs. Wallace Dowell is the guest of her parents in Kansas.

Mr. Jack McGinnis has moved to Buell, Montgomery County.

Ernest Fletcher bought 80 acres of the Deconroe estate at \$50.00 per acre.

Roy Donaldson has purchased the blacksmith shop and property at Long Branch. We will be glad to have Roy stay with us again.

R. C. Maddox sold to Arthur Moore 16 yearling steers for \$500.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Halley have returned from New Mexico. Mrs. Halley's health is much improved.

Mundy and Powell bought 32 head of 180 lb steers of John Raduall at 6 cents each engaged a load from Frank Edwards at same.

Several from here attended services at Sun Rise Sunday. Rev. Reavis is conducting the meeting. There has been about 40 additions to date.

Protracted meeting at Midway begins Thursday night. Oct. 3. Brother Harbord will assist Brother Crutcher. Come out and hear them.

CHAMP.

Rev. H. I. Cobb will preach at Grove Chapel Sunday morning September 29. All invited to attend.

Mrs. Armstrong and son, Soldow, visited her daughter, Mrs. Will Sullivan recently.

Mrs. Bobt Wright and little son, of Iowa, visited her niece, Mrs. Jas. Boothe, last week.

Mrs. M. Ellis and son, Jas, of St. Louis, visited Chas. Deans, over Sunday.

Rev. Hill preached at Littleby church last Sunday morning.

Jas. Booth has recently built him a new coal house.

Clarence Horton is better we are glad to hear and his many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Dye brought in 193 head of hogs at 66 from Ripley Co. also a load of cattle.

Joe Smith delivered two mule colts to Crockett Hatcher, Saturday at \$100 per colt.

Fred Roberts delivered a mule colt recently for \$75.

Miss Mattie Stevenson visited Mr. and Mrs. Loomis Saturday and Sunday.

The Pie Supper at Beaver Dam last Saturday night was a success. The proceeds amounted to \$20.

Protracted meeting at Salt River has been going on a week, the pastor, Rev. Wright as preacher. All should attend these services as they will be profitable to all.

Don't forget to attend Bethel Sunday School every Sunday afternoon at half past three.

George and Ralph Dean visited John Waugh Sunday.

Mr. Will Dodd has been visiting his parents in Fulton the past week.

Rev. Smith who has been with Bethel church for two years, left for Morrisstown, Mo., Monday, where he preaches the following year. His many friends here wish him well in his new field of labor, and trust he shall be instrumental in bringing many souls to Christ.

Will Sullivan is suffering with a pair of sore hands.

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James Lewis visited friends and relatives at Columbia and Jefferson City last week.

Mrs. C. C. Berkey visited home folks last week.

Our base ball team played in Centralia Saturday.

Mr. Robert Haden & Fadie, our former merchants have moved to Centralia. Mr. Love has the old stand.

SANTA FE ITEMS

Chas. Ward and family, of near Rowena, spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Del Carter.

Misses Gertrude Davis and Mary Wilson spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Elizabeth Dasher.

Miss Elizabeth Dasher and mother, of Virginia, are guest of J. Dasher and family.

Jim Dowell, of near Long Branch attended the lawn party at Chas. Sharp, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sharp entertained quite a lawn party Wednesday night. All had an enjoyable time.

Pearl Fairbairn left last week for Moberly where she has a position.

Mrs. E. C. Peck and son, Richard, are visiting Mrs. Peck's sister, Mrs. G. A. Beamer, near Ash, Mo.

Misses Adelle Levick, Genia Carter and Florence Bishop spent Sunday with Miss Anna Campbell.

Lawyer Collier and wife, of Mexico, spent Sunday with Mrs. Beavis.

Rev. Jas. Coll and family, Mrs. Coll and daughter, Miss Inez, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. B. G. Beavis.

Rev. Jas. Coll filed his appointments here Sunday.

J. S. Henderson and wife are home from St. Louis.

Perry Davis is in St. Louis.

The Sunday School picnic Saturday was quite a success and the crowd was chaperoned by Mrs. Tom Wilson.

Farm For Sale.

100 acres, near Mexico, 80 acres in corn, balance in pasture, divided in five fields, good barn and outhouse. Price \$42.00 per acre. 23-11 20-15

W. Hardin Rixey, Office over Criswell's Drug Store.

Will Receive Sixty New Engines.

The Washburn railroad within the next thirty days will receive sixty new engines. For some time past a shortage in engines has handicapped the Washburn in handling its business. Orders were placed a long time ago for the construction of the engines.

IT IS SERIOUS.

Some Mexico People Fail to Realize the Seriousness.

The constant aching of a bad back. The weariness, the tired feeling, the pains and aches of kidney ills.

Are serious—if neglected. Dangerous urinary troubles follow. A Mexico citizen show you how to avoid them.

James E. Green, living six miles south of Mexico, Mo., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and from my own experience can recommend them very highly. I had pain lameness in my back which nothing I used seemed to remove and there was also weakness of the kidneys which caused me to rise often at night. There was also a sediment in the secretions. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at C. A. Buckner & Co's drug store and began using them.

I got that relief came very promptly and in a short time the aching and pain and the